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BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

In the Matter of

PARMIS RAD, M.D.

Holder of License No. **42399**
For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine
In the State of Arizona.

Case No. MD-11-0913A

**INTERIM ORDER FOR PRACTICE
RESTRICTION AND CONSENT TO THE
SAME**

INTERIM CONSENT AGREEMENT

Parmis Rad, M.D. ("Respondent") elects to permanently waive any right to a hearing and appeal with respect to this Interim Order for Practice Restriction; admits the jurisdiction of the Arizona Medical Board ("Board"); and consents to the entry of this Order by the Board.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Board is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and control of the practice of allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.

2. Respondent is the holder of License No. 42399 for the practice of allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.

3. On June 29, 2011, Board staff initiated an investigation in case MD-11-0913A based on allegations that Respondent had been prescribing controlled substances to an immediate family member and had failed to maintain current contact information on her prescription pad.

4. On July 1, 2011, Board staff interviewed Respondent and subsequently referred her for a Physician Health Program (PHP) Assessment. On July 25, 2011, the PHP contractor reported that Dr. Rad was safe to practice.

5. On September 9, 2011, the Board received a report from Banner Good Samaritan Medical Center that Respondent had been placed on leave pending an

1 investigation due to concerns that she may be impaired and unable to engage safely in
2 the practice of medicine. On September 9, 2011, the Board ordered Respondent to
3 undergo another PHP Assessment based upon this new information.

4 6. On October 9, 2011 presented to an evaluation facility and completed the
5 evaluation on October 12, 2011.

6 7. After reviewing the evaluation facility's report, the Board's PHP contractor
7 recommended that Respondent complete a minimum of 30 days inpatient treatment at a
8 Board approved facility. At present, according to the PHP contractor, Respondent is not
9 safe to practice medicine.

10 8. The Executive Director has consulted with investigative staff and the
11 Board's medical consultant, who has reviewed the case and agrees that a consent
12 agreement is appropriate.

13 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

14 1. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over
15 Respondent.

16 2. The Executive Director may enter into a consent agreement with a physician
17 if there is evidence of danger to the public health and safety pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-
18 1405(C)(25) and § 32-1451(F); A.A.C. R4-16-504.

19 3. Based on the information in the Board's possession there is evidence that if
20 Respondent were to practice medicine in Arizona there would be a danger to the public
21 health and safety.

22 ORDER

23 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

24 1. Respondent shall not practice clinical medicine or any medicine involving
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1 direct patient care, and is prohibited from prescribing any form of treatment including
2 prescription medications, until Respondent applies to the Board and receives permission
3 to do so.

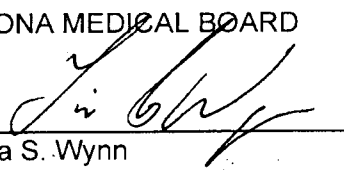
4 2. This is an interim order and not a final decision by the Board regarding the
5 pending investigative file and as such is subject to further consideration by the Board.

6 DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 20th day of OCTOBER, 2011.



ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

By


Lisa S. Wynn
Executive Director

13 **CONSENT TO ENTRY OF INTERIM ORDER**

14 1. Respondent has read and understands this Interim Order for Practice
15 Restriction and Consent to the Same and the stipulated Findings of Fact, Conclusions of
16 Law and Order ("Interim Order"). Respondent acknowledges she has the right to consult
17 with legal counsel regarding this matter.

18 2. Respondent acknowledges and agrees that this Interim Order is entered
19 into freely and voluntarily and that no promise was made or coercion used to induce such
20 entry.

21 3. By consenting to this Interim Order, Respondent voluntarily relinquishes any
22 rights to a hearing or judicial review in state or federal court on the matters alleged, or to
23 challenge this Interim Order in its entirety as issued, and waives any other cause of action
24 related thereto or arising from said Interim Order.

1 4. The Interim Order is not effective until approved and signed by the
2 Executive Director.


3 5. All admissions made by Respondent are solely for final disposition of this
4 matter and any subsequent related administrative proceedings or civil litigation involving
5 the Board and Respondent. Therefore, said admissions by Respondent are not intended
6 or made for any other use, such as in the context of another state or federal government
7 regulatory agency proceeding, civil or criminal court proceeding, in the State of Arizona or
8 any other state or federal court.

9 6. Upon signing this Interim Order, and returning this document (or a copy
10 thereof) to the Board's Executive Director, Respondent may not revoke the consent to the
11 entry of the Interim Order. Respondent may not make any modifications to the document.
12 Any modifications to this original document are ineffective and void unless mutually
13 approved by the parties.

14 7. This Interim Order is a public record that will be publicly disseminated as a
15 formal action of the Board and will be reported to the National Practitioner's Data Bank
16 and on the Board's web site.

17 8. If any part of the Interim Order is later declared void or otherwise
18 unenforceable, the remainder of the Interim Order in its entirety shall remain in force and
19 effect.

20 9. Any violation of this Interim Order constitutes unprofessional conduct and
21 may result in disciplinary action. A.R.S. § § 32-1401(27)(r) ("[v]iolating a formal order,
22 probation, consent agreement or stipulation issued or entered into by the board or its
23 executive director under this chapter") and 32-1451.

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25 Parnis Rad, M.D.

DATED: 10.19.11

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EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed
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ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed
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